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"Serve the Church that the Church
May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:
11.00 a.m., Senior school.
2.00 p.m., Junior school.
7.30 p.m., Public Worship.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rev. J. R. Hargreaves, A.Th., Incumbent

Services Sunday next—
12 Noon, Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieut. S. Nahrney and R. Hammond,
Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11.00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.
8.00 p.m., Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.
Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.
Wednesday: Sunbeam Brownies at 4.30 p.m., Boys' Cubs 6 p.m.
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.
BLAIRMORE Gospel meeting every Friday at 7.30 p.m.
Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

Lieut. W. Macdonald, of the RCAF, spent the week-end with his family at Bellevue.

Rev. Canon Cripps, Anglican clergy of Red Deer, has accepted an appointment in Spokane.

Jack Barless, of the RCAF, has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barless, at Bellevue.

Alphonse Feriot is a patient in the local hospital, having suffered severe injuries in the local mine about a week ago.

Red Deer riding is to have a by-election on December 16th, with three candidates in the field: W. J. Edgar, Independent; E. G. Johns, OCF, and D. A. Ure, Social Credit.

Thomas Hoop, an old-timer, died at Pincher Creek on Friday last at the age of 72. He is survived by his widow; one son, Thomas; a brother, Sam, in Calgary, and three sisters in England.

Of all the provinces Alberta came second lowest in the sale of War Savings Stamps and Certificates. Alberta does not usually take second place when it comes to putting anything worth while over. It is now being planned to put on some extra promotional work.

Cost of living bonuses for servicemen's dependents will be increased as from December 1st to keep them in line with similar bonuses in industry. The rate will be \$4.12 a month for wives with children, and \$2.30 for wives without children. The previous rates were \$2.60 and \$1.40.

A great piece of luck was reported here on Thursday morning. A party returning from Lethbridge the night previous decided to change car drivers just east of Pincher. In making the transfer, a wallet was dropped, but was not missed till reaching Maple Leaf, near Bellevue. The driver decided to return next morning to where the stop had been made, and found the wallet by the side of the highway, minus most of its contents. The contents, however, were picked up just about one hundred per cent within a very short distance.

LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

At a temperance rally meeting early in the week there was an audience of 33 women and 11 men, including two cravin' images who could not even get a glass of water to cool 'em off.

Approximately one umbrella is now being produced for every hundred people in Great Britain at a cost of about \$17 to \$23. And optimists say it never rains more than 300 days a year in London.

The Alberta division of the Canadian Red Cross Society is holding letters under names that cannot be located through the post office. Included is one addressed to Mrs. Maria Matej, Blaimore.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church, Blaimore, are holding their Annual Fall Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in the Auditorium from 3 to 6 p.m. tomorrow, Saturday, December 4th. Everybody welcome.

Despite the fact that the authorities urged against campaigning house to house to try sell Christmas greeting cards, we have had outside agents just doing that during the week. No doubt they got a few orders. But why?

During the summer of 1940 men and women in the war plants of Great Britain worked 70 to 90 hours a week. These hours were found to be too much for a long period, and efficiency increased when the hours were changed to 50 to 60.

Two hundred and three Danish ships in the British service were seized in prize. Their value has been estimated at \$29,000,000. Since the invasion of Denmark they have continued to sail with a large number of their original crews.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an advertisement of the Beard Electric Co., Calgary, who are in the field to purchase used electric irons. These are to be refitted and sold to the men in the forces at practically cost—and they need them.

Alberta has asked the Dominion government to renew a treasury bill of \$16,192,000 falling due on December 1st. The funds were obtained for general revenue purposes during the period when the province was confronted with unemployment, relief demands.

Fernie miners voted 6 to 1 to accept the commission's proposition. Blaimore miners voted against by 232 to 200. A B.C. paper comments: "The influence of Harvey Murphy still seems to hang over that camp of Blaimore, even though he left there many years ago."

Hon. A. J. Hooke, provincial secretary, announces that paper licenses or stickers, to be affixed to windshields and rear windows, probably will be issued Alberta motorists for the license year starting next April 1st. Paper licenses will be used in place of metal plates.

Magazines Esquire and Vogue have again been under fire from the United States post office department for publishing pictures and articles suspected of being close to the borderline. But in defense the publishers of these periodicals have produced some mighty convincing evidence that their publications are as clean as others that get by without any trouble.

Use of stickers on the windshields of Alberta cars in 1944, instead of a single number plate as in 1943, will be discussed at the annual meeting of the Alberta Motor Association in Calgary this week end. Some provinces have already announced the windshield sticker to replace the plate. Danger of counterfeiting and difficulties that might arise in the case of cars being transferred from one owner to another are among the objections to the use of stickers.

ELKS' ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

The Blaimore Elks' annual memorial service will be held in the lodge hall on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A splendid service has been arranged and a large attendance is looked forward to. You are invited to come and bring your friends.

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Rev. P. Marston occupied the local United church pulpit on Sunday in the interest of the temperance rally.

A mass meeting of miners was held in the Union hall on Friday evening last, when Mrs. Grace Knight, of Edmonton, was the speaker.

Pte. N. Macdonald, of Calgary, has arrived home to Hillcrest on miner's leave.

Mrs. A. Thornton returned to Calgary after visiting her daughter here. J. Semanick, who received injuries at the Blaimore mine, is at present receiving treatment at Banff.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. James Wilson and small son David were week-end visitors to Lethbridge.

Mrs. Mollie Milvain has returned to Calgary after spending a couple of weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of Coleman, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cochrane and son Bobby, and Miss Margaret Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Murphy attended the bridge party sponsored by the Eastern Star at Pincher Creek on Wednesday evening.

Many friends and sympathizers from this district attended the funeral of the late Thomas Hepp at Pincher Creek on Monday afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Marston, of Magrath, delivered a very impressive sermon on the evil effects of excessive use of intoxicating beverages, particularly so on our young folk, in the United church here on Sunday morning.

GUERRILLA ARMIES WRITE COLORFUL WAR CHAPTER

News from underground France that "despite the approach of winter, guerrilla positions are being maintained" is no more embroidered than a war communique, but thereby hangs one of the most romantic tales of the present struggle.

The simply stated fact that guerrilla positions are being held here means that nearly 80,000 young Frenchmen are prepared to spend another winter living like beasts in the caves and gorges of their native mountains, hiding by day, and waking at night, when they prowl the countryside in an effort to gather food, clothing, munitions.

Determined not to work for Hitler either in Germany or in the Todt labor organizations, they have renounced any semblance of normal life until such time as they can return to their homes and families in a free France.

Daily, hourly, they are living the "resistance" which strikes fear into German hearts; daily, hourly, they are gaining strength, building up stores of munitions, undermining the moral and security of the invader.

James Niven, for forty-three years employed with the CPR as engineer, et, has retired. He is son of the late Robert Niven, formerly of Frank.

Praise for women workers who have tackled hard jobs came from D. C. Coleman, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg. He said nearly 700 women are working in the yards and roundhouses, wiping locomotives, cleaning coaches and checking cars. They are proving most satisfactory, he said.

CURLERS READY FOR ACTION: AWAITING ICE CONDITIONS

At a meeting of the Blaimore Curling Club held last week end, Sgt. T. E. Mudman was elected president; Angelo Fantin, vice-president (re-elected); W. Meier, secretary.

The report of the retiring president, H. Carmichael, was received, showing that the club held a very successful season in 1943-44, with a substantial increase in membership. The secretary's report showed the club to have a small cash balance on hand to start operations.

The district bonspiel will be held in Blaimore this season. Draw system will be same as during the past three seasons: teams to be classified into four divisions, winner in each moving up into next higher division, and loser dropping back. Trophies will be awarded to winners of each division at the end of the season. Skips are now busy rustling teams.

COAL PRICE INCREASED

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—The price board announced Tuesday night that increases ranging from 10 to 65 cents per ton for coal produced in certain areas of Alberta and British Columbia have been authorized by E. J. Brunning, its coal administrator.

(Calgary) coal dealers, acting on the increases, today raised their retail prices by the amounts corresponding to the increases granted to the coal operators.

The board said the increased prices are the result of decisions reached by the royal commission which investigated the recent coal mining labor dispute in those areas, and have been determined as directed by the government.

The board, the commission recommended wage increases of \$1 a day for 8,500 miners in the Alberta and British Columbia coal fields. The men had been on strike for increases of \$2 a day.

The increases are subject to review at any time, but the order stipulates they must be reviewed not later than March 31, 1944.

Members of the Western Canada Bituminous Coal Miners' Association may raise their prices by 50 cents per ton for coal shipped from December 1st to March 31st, 1944, inclusive. The increase after April 1st will be 40 cents instead of 50 cents, or such other amount as may be authorized after investigation.

Members of the Drumheller Coal Operators' Association may increase their prices by 65 cents a ton for lump and egg coal shipped between December 1st and March 31st, and after that date the increase will be 50 cents.

The price of stoker, nut and nut pea slack coal may be increased by 25 cents per ton in shipments after December 1st, and on slack coal the increase will be 10 cents per ton.

The board's announcement said coal dealers are entitled to the increases, actually charged them, but not to any additional mark-up.

Coal mine operators of Alberta and British Columbia, other than those mentioned in the order, may apply in writing to the coal administrator for assistance on or before December 31st. They must give all information required by the administrator.

If the administrator decides an increase is required, he may designate the operators affected and the additional amounts which they may charge on deliveries of their coal.

The board said all operators authorized to increase the selling price of coal must forward financial and operating statements to the administrator promptly.

Most unusual: We had what in some places would be considered torrents of rain last evening and night. Kiddies are waiting to know just what winter weather should be like.

LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. H. Zak received word the early part of the week that their son Joe had reached Toronto, where he will rest a while before proceeding home for Christmas.

Druggists of Canada sold \$650,813 worth of War Savings Stamps during the month of September. The objective was \$500,000, and so 217 per cent of the objective was obtained. Alberta raised \$32,088.

Petty Officer M. J. Davies, nephew of Jack Davies, of Blaimore, who is a member of the crew of H.M.C.S. Blaimore, addressed an audience at the Orpheum theatre on Wednesday night, and was much enjoyed.

Finance Minister Halsey said over the week end that the recent settlement of the coal strike in Alberta and British Columbia will result in an increase in the price of coal to all users of coal produced in the area.

Miss Thelma Pinkney returned to Calgary on Sunday to resume her duties at No. 4 Training Command, after spending a month's leave of absence with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pinkney, and recuperating from an operation.

More than forty-two million dollars have been spent on national parks development and maintenance in Canada since the first park was set aside in 1885. This figure does not, of course, include the value of the land dedicated to the people of Canada for use as national playgrounds.

Four hundred and forty-nine Alberta schools are reported closed because of the shortage of teachers. Pupils of 117 closed schools remained at home as other facilities were available, and pupils of 293 schools received education elsewhere under fairly satisfactory conditions, according to Hon. Solon Low, provincial minister of education.

"Accidental death" was the verdict returned at Calgary by a coroner's jury on Saturday inquiring into the death of Stuart Milley, 61, Coleman miner, who died of injuries sustained in a mishap at the International tipple on Tuesday last week. Milley was struck on the head by a prop which he and two other workers were using to place a railroad car back on its tracks.

With water running through gravel in the new water gallery recently installed the natives of this town are going to be deficient of vitamins A, B, C and D. After swallowing bugs, snails, the odd mummy and mold for fifty years, to suddenly have this cut off in their diet may have injurious effects. It might be well to eat a handful of mud at least once a week, until gradually tapered off, and ease off the shock to the system. —Pincher Creek Echo.

A knotty problem has come up for the National Research Council, perhaps, or any person with an enquiring mind. It was unearthed by none other than the House of Commons barbers, who wonder where red-headed males have gone. Twenty years ago they claim one in ten was red-headed; today they're dwindled. Only real red-head among 245 members of the House of Commons is said to be Robert McCubbin, Liberal for West Middlesex. Now you take a guess.

A total of 240 soldiers, sailors, airmen and members of the women's services, in the armed forces from Natal-Michel and district will once again receive the glad Yuletide greetings through Michel Local No. 7292. Secretary Simon Weaver reports that such and every member of the force from the district will receive \$5, with the Michel Local donating a sum well over \$1,000. A number of these are serving overseas, while the remainder are serving in Canada. One is serving in Kiska and one in Bermuda.



PTE. MARY BARBARA WAKALUK, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wakaluk, of Burnis, Alberta, who recently enlisted in the Canadian Women's Army Corps, is now taking her basic training at No. 2 basic training centre at Vermilion, Alberta.

OH! DEER!

A Stately hunter had the tables turned on him this week — instead of having the gun when the hunt ended, the deer had it.

A group of hunters from Stately were hunting deer west of town, and one hunter was fortunate enough to bring one down, but when he got up to it he discovered he had hit it in the back paralyzing its back legs, but leaving it alive enough to sit up and protect itself with its antlers. He was going to finish it off with a knife, but changed his mind and decided to use his rifle. In picking up his rifle the strap caught in the deer's antlers and it used this as further protection by swinging its head.

Another hunter had to shoot it. He should have sang that song: "Put That Rifle Down," Deer, Put That Rifle Down." —Stately Advertiser.

A carload of Southern Alberta-made blankets has been shipped direct to Moscow under the Russian War Relief Fund arrangement.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFERS

The Enterprise has the agency for and offers the following papers and magazines at the following rates:

American Girl, one year	\$2.00
American Fruit Grower, 1 yr	1.50
American Home Magazine, 1 yr	1.50
American Magazine, one year	3.00
American Mercury, one year	3.50
Better Home & Homemaker, 1 yr	3.50
Better Home & Gardens, 1 yr	1.50
Canadian Home Journal, 1 yr	1.00
Canadian Home & Gardens, 1 yr	2.00
Canadian Horticulture & Home, two years	1.00
Chatsaline Magazine, one year	1.00
Chen Life, one year	2.75
Children's Activities (10 nos) 1 yr	3.50
Christian Herald, one year	2.50
Callers Weekly, one year	3.50
Country Guide, 1 yr 50c, 3 yrs 1.00	
Canadian Geographic, one year	3.00
Canadian Poultryman, two years	1.00
Canadian Silver Fox & Fur, 1 yr	1.00
Canadian Poultry Review, 1 year	1.00
Click Magazine, one year	1.00
Comopolitan, one year	2.00
Country Gentleman, two years	1.00
Canadian Farmer (Ukrainian Weekly), one year	2.00
Column Review, one year	3.00
Der Nordwesten (weekly) 1 yr	2.00
Esquire Magazine, one year	2.75
Fact Digest, one year	1.50
Family Herald & Weekly Star, three years	2.00
Free Press Prairie Farmer, 1 yr	1.00
Flower Grower, one year	2.00
Good Housekeeping, one year	3.50
Jack and Jill, one year	2.50
Ladies' Home Journal, one year	1.50
Liberty, one year	2.00
Look, one year	3.00
Life, one year	3.50
Magazine Digest, one year	1.00
McCall's Magazine, one year	1.50
McCall's Magazine, one year	1.50
Nature Magazine, one year	3.00
Newsweek, one year	3.00
National Home Monthly, 1 year	1.00
New World, one year	1.50
Open Road (for boys) one year	1.50
Parents' Magazine, one year	2.00
Photoplay-Movie Mirror, 1 yr	1.50
Popular Mechanics, one year	3.00
Saturday Evening Post, one year	3.50
Saturday Night, one year	3.00
Science Digest, one year	3.50
Screenday, one year	2.00
Silver Screen, one year	2.00
Science & Discovery, one year	1.50
Sports Illustrated, one year	3.50
True Story Magazine, one year	1.50
Travel, one year	4.50
Time, one year	4.00
Western Producer, one year	1.00
Women's Home Companion, 1 yr	1.50
Your Life, one year	2.50
Reader's Digest, one year	3.00
Red Book, one year	3.00
Popular Science Monthly, 1 year	2.50
The Blaimore Enterprise, 1 year	2.00

Experts Have Made Study Of Food Problems

OTTAWA.—The international conference on food consumption levels, attended by statistical and food experts from Britain, the United States and Canada, has concluded several weeks of study here. It was announced by H. F. Angus of the external affairs department, the chairman.

The conference report, after further studies by some of its committees, will be submitted to the combined food board at Washington.

The object of the session was to reach an accurate basis for comparing the food consumption levels of different nations having different customs, different types of production and different methods of distribution with a view to assisting in allocation of food supplies by the board during the war and post-war periods.

"It is, therefore, hoped that a basis has been prepared for continuing work which will have considerable influence on projects of social security after the war as well as for policy during the war," said a statement from the conference.

The conference, the statement said, replaced the former rough-and-ready method of comparisons between official ration allowances, which had the fault of not taking into account the amount of unrationed food consumed and the amount of rationed foods eaten in public places.

The method chosen was to estimate the whole food supply available to a country. But such estimates presented difficulties in taking into account home-consumed fish and game and food produced in victory and other home gardens which never appears in public statistics.

The total food supply before being used for comparison was translated into its equivalent in calories and vitamins and allowances were made for inefficiency and waste in consumption and distribution.

The attractiveness of the food and the manner in which it was presented were also taken into account for the conference acted on the view that with a monotonous diet people tend to eat less than enough and if the diet is particularly attractive, waste results from excessive consumption by some persons.

GIANT BIRDS

Whooping Cranes Reported In Several Points In Western Canada

WINNIPEG.—Whooping cranes, the flying fortresses of North America, a bird life, have been reported in several parts of western Canada and it is believed there are enough of them to save their species from extinction.

Jack Wilson, of Winnipeg, a bird bander for Ducks Unlimited, said eight of the giant birds have been reported on the company's project at Last Mountain lake near Simpson, Sask. Authorities believe no more than 100 of the birds are in existence today.

GRANTED ENTRY

Girl Stowaway In Lancaster Bomber Will Stay In Canada

OTTAWA.—Margaret Drury, 24-year-old Lancashire girl and first east-to-west Atlantic air stowaway, has been granted entry to Canada for six months to work with the R.A.F. transport command.

The announcement, made by A. L. Jolliffe, commissioner of immigration, said Miss Drury has expressed a wish to accept such employment. Her case will be reviewed again at the end of the six-month period.

DEVASTATED CITIES

Graphic Description Of Ruins Wrought In Germany

BERNE.—A German woman who lives in Switzerland, gave a graphic description of a journey through devastated cities of western Germany, telling of women who broke into tears at the sight of the ruins and of pale men who muttered bitterly that they had had enough.

The story was told in the Berne weekly, Die Nation.

"The horror begins at Mannheim, Ludwigshafen and Mainz to the right and the left of the railroad line are ruins, terrible ruins," it quoted the woman as saying.

"A woman opposite me suddenly burst into tears. She had been in the Black forest several weeks after she was bombed out, but the sight of the ruins brought back the horror."

"A man opposite me said 'I am from Cologne. You must see Cologne—it cannot be described.'"

"We arrived at Cologne in rain and darkness. We tried to telephone, but all the booths were destroyed. I saw brave men go white and shaking to air raid shelters, taking their most valued possessions in small suitcases."

"Clouds of smoke, pitiful ruins, heaps of rubble and stench—that was Cologne. Beautiful churches were destroyed. The cathedral was damaged, but the spires were still standing. At the railroad station the first and second platforms were a pile of ruins. A trip through Cologne was a penance. The old city was a heap of rubble."

"Days after the heavy raids, clouds of smoke lay over the city and stench out the sun. Gas fumes and decaying corpses putrid the air. Even now Cologne stinks with fumes and stench."

Russian Pilots Fly Planes From Base In Alaska

EDMONTON.—Russian women pilots have played and are playing a prominent role in the United Nations' latest scheme by piloting planes from Alaska to the Russian front after they have been flown to the far north from United States factories.

While not all the pilots are women, they have been acting as ferry pilots for the Russian government after the U.S. manufactured military aircraft are turned over to the Russians for combat duty against the Germans on the war front.

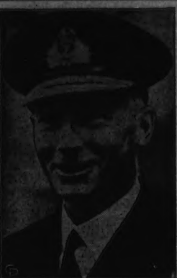
Planes bearing the Soviet insignia, a plain red star, have been seen by Albertians in Edmonton and along the Alaska highway for some time. They are flown via Edmonton and the string of Alaska highway airports to Fairbanks where the Russians take them over.

None of the Russian women pilots has been seen on Edmonton streets although Russian male pilots have been seen in public places here. On occasions they have attended sports events. Three Russian male pilots witnessed the Castillon-Lask fight when the eastern airman defeated the soldier and on another occasion took in a baseball game here. They received an ovation from the spectators on each occasion.

Existence of a northwestern Canadian air ferry route from the United States to Russia was disclosed in Washington by Robert F. Patterson, United States under-secretary of war.

Be a partner in the crusade to wipe out tuberculosis. Buy Christmas Seals today generously and use them on all your mail.

Admiral Of Fleet



The man who led the successful hunt that ended in the sinking of the German battleship Bismarck, Admiral Sir John Cronyn Tovey (above), has been appointed admiral of the fleet, it was announced at the British admiralty, London.

MANY HONORED

Decorations Conferred On One Hundred And Twelve Canadians

OTTAWA.—The governor-general recently conferred previously announced decorations on 112 persons at Rideau Hall.

Senior officers of the armed services, high-ranking executives in munition production, scientists who have accomplished things in research which are still deep official secrets, sailors and airmen who have shown bravery in the face of the enemy, veteran civil servants and leaders in philanthropy, agriculture and educational fields were among those who stepped before His Excellency as their names were called.

A number of women were included in those honored.

Most of the awards were announced in the King's birthday honors list last June.

REFUSES INFORMATION

DUBLIN.—Prime Minister De Valera refused in the Dail to give the number of belligerent planes which had crashed in Eire since the start of the war.

Traffic on Trans-Canada Air Lines, passengers, mail and express, increased one hundred per cent. in two years.

NEW SESSION

The King Reopens War At Opening Of British Parliament

LONDON.—The King opened a new session of parliament—the ninth since the present House of Commons was elected in 1935—reading the speech from the throne which confidently said: "In the fourth year of the war the forces of the United Nations have assumed the offensive in all theatres of war. . . and in the coming year we shall with God's help be able to bring to bear upon the enemy a still greater weight of attack."

The King, wearing the uniform of admiral of the fleet, was accompanied by the Queen as he personally opened the new session of parliament. At the same time it was disclosed, that the prorogation speech of the old session was read.

Reviewing the Allies' forward strides during the last year, the speech recalled:

"The enemy has been cast out of Africa; freedom has been brought to Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica, and in Italy our forces and those of our American ally now are engaging the enemy on the mainland of Europe."

"With the growing help of our Great American ally and together with the other United Nations we shall go forward with confidence in our cause until we have delivered the peoples of the world from fear of the aggressor," the speech said.

Of Russia, it said: "On his eastern front the enemy has given ground before the massive, unrelenting advance of the Russian armies, whose magnificent achievements we have watched with ever-deepening admiration."

Turning to the conquered nations of Europe, the speech declared that they "are everywhere preparing to throw off the yoke of the oppressor and we shall continue to afford them such help and encouragement as lies in our power."

The opening ceremony was held in the King's robing room in which the House of Lords has met since the House of Commons chamber was demolished by German bombs in 1941. Commons, which by ancient tradition the King may never visit, now meets in the original House of Lords chamber.

MANAGER OF MUNITION WORKS

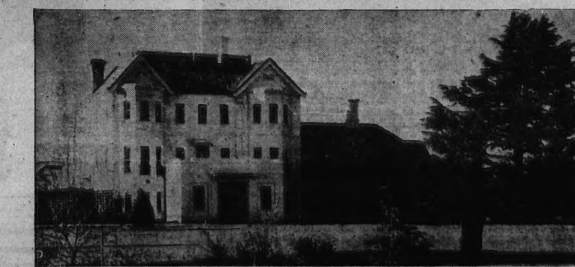
NEW YORK.—The German-controlled Czech radio reported that Vladimir Benes, 52-year-old manager of the Skoda munitions works, had died in Prague.

Allied Chiefs Meet In Conference



Present at a conference of Allied chiefs of staff in North Africa were these ranking men on land, on sea and in the air. Left to right, Admiral Sir John Cunningham, commander-in-chief of the Allied fleet in the Mediterranean; General Dwight D. Eisenhower, commander-in-chief of Allied forces in that theatre, and Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder.

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER NAMED AUSTRALIA'S GOVERNOR-GENERAL



The residence of the governor-general of Australia at Canberra, which will be occupied by their royal highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester next July. The duke has just been appointed governor-general of the commonwealth and succeeds Lord Gowrie, the present occupant.

GRIM SATISFACTION

How People Of London View The Destruction Of Berlin

LONDON.—There is a feeling of grim satisfaction among Londoners, who took the thundering bombardment the Nazis gloatingly delivered through the black winter and spring of 1940-41, that Berlin now is getting it back many-fold.

But although hatred runs deep for the Germans who blasted, burned and broke businesses, homes, bodies and lives of hundreds of thousands of British people, the Londoners feel rather sorry for them. At the same time, they accept the necessity for grinding the Nazi capital and its leaders into dust. The Germans asked for it, is the general unemotional reaction.

The great raids are taken in characteristic British fashion as a planned, expectable part of the methodical campaign to beat the Germans. There is little undue optimism about its bringing a sudden German collapse. Tempering all thoughts is the recognition that London's turn may come again at any time. While the Germans are short of bombers in the west, nobody is so foolish as not to recognize they might quickly assemble a sufficient force from other fronts to give London a 500-plane raid.

New Mosquito Bomber Proves Most Successful

LONDON.—Development of a new super-Mosquito combining both the armament of the fighter version of the versatile 400-horsepower plywood plane and half the bombload of a stripped-down bomber without sacrificing speed was disclosed by the manufacturers, the De Havilland Aircraft Company.

This means intruder squadrons now can add bombs to the hall of metal from cannon which planes shower on Nazi airfields, ships and other important facilities.

The new version of the Mosquito has four 20-millimetre cannon, four 303 machine guns—the same armament as the fighter—plus 1,000 pounds of bombs. The straight bomber version can carry four 500-pound bombs.

The night fighter version with unspecified equipment was recently disclosed and has been coping competently with the Germans' new fast hit-and-run raiders. Some Canadians fly these night fighters.

There also are special transport, super-high altitude and super-long range versions of the Mosquito.

TORONTO.—A spokesman for De Havilland Aircraft of Canada said the new super-Mosquito fighter bomber will be produced in Canada. "We are pushing ahead with bomber production," said the spokesman.

MUST BE PLANNED

No Speedy Settlement Of Northern Area Should Be Expected

EDMONTON.—It's an error to expect a "great rush of population in the north," Dr. Charles Cammell, deputy minister of mines and resources, told provincial and civic officials in a luncheon address here.

Chairman of the North Pacific planning project, Dr. Cammell said it is necessary to establish the economic value of the north before any population rush is started, and that is one of the main aims of the commission.

Much of the area potentially is a mining region and it is on this phase the region must depend for its initial development.

Buy War Savings Stamps Regularly.

Cannot Depend On Bombing For Final Victory

LONDON.—The bomber's show-down bid for out and out victory in the battle of Berlin found ground forces pulling as hard as anyone for the world's first major, victory through air power—but these men who must plan and lead an invasion from the west are keeping their fingers firmly crossed.

"Bombing, say Russia's magnificent victories, may crush Germany before any great battle in the west," said one highly-ranked American officer. "But it would be criminal if these hopes led me to relax for one moment on the job that's been given to me in preparing for invasion, and it would be tragic if they led to any further over-confidence on the home front."

There is divergence of opinion among ground force leaders on the airman's chances to shatter Germany sufficiently to bring surrender, but those who think first in terms of land battles seem agreed that:

1. If such an economical victory is won it must be won by smashing the German will to fight and not by physical destruction of the means to make war, because the latter cannot become great enough to break the German army in the time remaining before the invasion deadline.

2. There is a definite danger that the immediate value of these unprecedented, spectacular blows deep inside Nazism may be exaggerated in the public mind and breed over-confidence which would react badly on the war effort.

An important British officer who knows the German heavy attacks on Britain in the winter of 1940-41 was inclined to discount the chances of smashing morale so that the Germans would revolt and sue for peace. He said:

"Unless that will to fight were broken, it would not have any decisive effect even if Berlin were bombed so badly it had to be abandoned.

"There would be dislocations of records and communications, of course. Men's pay and pensions and promotions might get mixed up, but it wouldn't paralyze operations, particularly since the German high command must have made extensive preparations to meet just such an emergency."

EXPENDITURE LOW

In Connection With Sale Of Fifth Victory Loan Bonds

OTTAWA.—Finance Minister Haley said he has "very good expectations" that the cost of selling Fifth Victory loan bonds will not exceed 87 cents for each \$100 of the loan issued.

This figure compares with about 90 cents for the Fourth Victory loan last spring, and an average of about \$1 for each \$100 worth of bonds sold in all five victory loans. The \$1 includes "all" expenses for preparation and delivery of the bonds, advertising and publicity, salesmen's commissions and all payments to financial firms and institutions, organization expenses, etc."

NEEDED AFTER WAR

TORONTO.—Lord Woolton, Britain's food minister, has asked that shipments of powdered milk, sent overseas by Canadian Kismen's clubs, be continued after the war, a club spokesman said here. It would be directed in the reconstruction period, to hungry peoples of Europe.

The average Lapp family requires 100 reindeer for its maintenance.

The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester with their only son, Prince Henry, who will be two years old in January.

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THE GENEROUS MR. HANSELL

The following from the pen of
Another Nut in the Calgary Herald
is well worthy of reproduction:

I trust the people of Alberta lis-
tened to the speech of the Rev. Mr.
Hansell, Social Credit M.P., delivered
last Thursday over CFCN. It was
constructive, invigorating, stimulat-
ing and exhilarating. I do not know
of any more "stings" so we will have
to let it go at that. It was a master-
piece. Our present prime minister
could not have done any better.

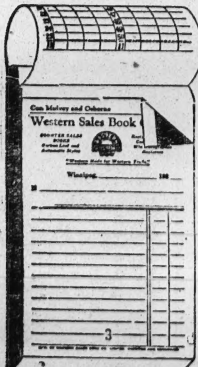
I am sure Mr. Roper and Mr. Cold-
well are quaking in their political
shoes, and serves them right. It would
have been far better if they had been
content to sit at the feet of Mr. Han-
sell and absorb Social Credit wisdom,
and I am sure the men who framed
the Atlantic Charter are rubbing the
dust from their eyes so they can see
clearer the Utopian vision of Mr.
Hansell.

According to Mr. Hansell we are to
have free medical care and attention,
and as they are going to extend our
mental institutions we will be assured
of free lodgings. All of us are going
to have our own houses to live in,
but he did not say if we would have
to pay taxes. After all that he has
promised I am sure we will not have
to pay taxes.

One thing that interested me, more
than any other, was the fact that
every person over the age of 60 years
would be paid a pension of \$50 per
month. As I am well over this age I
am wondering if the payment of this
\$50 would be retroactive. He did not
say anything about this, but I am
sure it will be as the government will
have bodies of money to spend.

According to Mr. Hansell, we will
build fewer battleships. We have never
built any battleships, but this doesn't
matter, we can still build fewer,
and the money we never spent in
building battle ships will be used to
pay old-age pensions.

There is just one other thing the
writer would like and that is a free
automobile supplied with free oil and
gas. Like many other poor people I
never did own an automobile, and
probably the only way I will own one

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is for the government to issue them
free, just like the ration books. I
cannot see why the Social Credit gov-
ernment, when they shift their head-
quarters to Ottawa, cannot distribute
a few million automobiles to the poor
and needy. I know they are sincere,
honest and generous, and if we bring
this to their attention before the
next election, I am sure they will not
overlook this small item of free au-
tomobiles. The issuing of free oil and
gas may be a harder problem to
solve. As the government at Edmon-
ton has issued leases and reservations
on nearly all of the potential oil
lands in the province to American
oil monopolists, we may have to fore-
go this free oil and gas.

A small shack near the Sartoris
mill, west of Blairmore, was destroyed
by fire last night.

President and Madame Chiang Kai-
Shek have returned to Chungking
from the North Africa conference of
war leaders.

Alberta's coal production in the
first ten months of 1943 totalled
6,447,673 tons, an increase of 206,838
tons over the corresponding period
of 1942.

It is just too bad that the average
temperance lecturer does not really
know what he is talking about. Just
place him beside the average inside
mineworker for a day or two and he
would change his opinion a whole lot.
This is not confidential.

The Consolidated Mining & Smelt-
ing Company has contracted for the
erection of eighteen new residences
at Cranbrook to help relieve the hous-
ing shortage. The Bennett & White
Construction Company of Calgary are
the successful bidders.



A. E. POWLEY

is CBC's news chief in London. In
association with fourteen other Cana-
dians, English and French-speaking,
he is part of the organization which
is charged with bringing the news of
Canadian men and women on active
service to the radio listeners of Cana-
da. Mr. Powley was former head of
the CBC central newsroom at Toron-
to, but he is no stranger to the Brit-
ish capital; he was born there in 1901.

Sweet Young Thing: "What shall I
do? I am engaged to a man who just
simply cannot bear children."

Kindly Old Lady: "Well, you must
not expect too much of a husband."

"V"

Father: "So you love my daugh-
ter?"

Suitor: "Love her? Why, I would
die for her. For one soft glance from
her sweet eyes I would hurl myself
off a lofty cliff, glad of the chance to
sacrifice myself in her name."

Father: "Well, I forbid the mar-
riage. I'm something of a liar myself,
and one is enough in a small family
like ours."

Why Leaves Turn

The class was having a lesson in
botany, and the little dears sat with
open mouths drinking in the words of
their teacher. She explained to them
exactly when and why leaves change
their color, and all the children nod-
ded their heads with great intelli-
gence. "Now," she asked the class as
the lesson drew to an end, "when do
leaves turn red?"

"In the autumn," came the reply in
chorus.

"And why do leaves turn red in the
autumn?" she pursued.

There was silence for a time, and
then a small voice was heard from the
back: "Please, Miss, they're blushing
to think how green they've been all
summer."

Prime Minister Churchill celebrated
his 69th birthday on Tuesday. He was
working as usual.

Emile Pelletier passed away at Pin-
cher Creek on Saturday at the ripe
age of 86. He came to Alberta thirty-
four years ago.

FS Charles Notley Wright, son of
Rev. J. L. Wright, of Vulcan and for-
merly of Pincher Creek and Bellevue,
is reported missing on active service
after operations.

Eric Hornquist was down from
Kimberley this week to attend the
marriage of his sister, Alice, to Lieut.
Alex. Penman, which took place last
evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Harold Pinkney.

Well, we know now that the next
Dominion general election isn't going
to be just another election. We know
that, if the CCF wins, we are going
to have national socialism. Mr. Win-
chell said so and Mr. Coldwell con-
firms it. Freedom as we know it will
go down the winner if that happens.
—Lethbridge Herald.

Lady: "I was quite outspoken at
the bridge club today."

Husband: "I can't believe it. Who
outspoke you?"

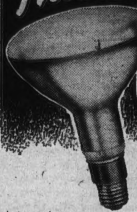
"V"

An English society matron, visit-
ing a farm in her new WAAP uni-

form and feeling very patriotic, sold
eyed a young farmer busy milk-
ing a cow. "And how is it, my good
man, that you are not at the front?"
The farmer took a straw out of his
mouth, spat and replied: "Because,
men, there ain't no milk at that end."

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Sambo: "No, sah, Jedge, she licked me this time."

A Scotchman and his wife persuaded a pilot to take them for a ride in his plane. The pilot told them there would be no charge if they kept abed. The pilot took them up and and torrid, the mascelines into tem- did lots of fancy loops and they never

AUCTION SALE OF TIMBER CROWNST - BOW RIVER FOREST RESERVE

The right to cut certain timber on the following lands will be offered at public auction at the office of the Acting Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the thirtieth day of December, 1943.

W 1/2 of Section 31, Township 4, Range 4; Sections 25 and 36, Township 4, Range 4; Section 6 and that portion of Section 7 outside the limits of License Timber Berth No. 80 in Township 5, Range 3; S 1/4 and NE 1/4 of Section 1, E 1/2 of Section 12 in Township 5, Range 4, all West of the 5th Meridian, an area of 5.75 square miles, more or less.

On these lands there is estimated to be five million lineal feet of fire killed spruce and pine suitable for the manufacture of mine timbers and three million feet board measure of fire killed spruce and pine suitable for the manufacture of lumber but only such timber shall be cut as is marked or otherwise designated.

The sale will be offered at an upset price of 1-5c per lineal foot for fire killed mine timber five inches up to but not including nine inches at the butt. On all other products dues shall be payable at the rates prescribed by the Forest Reserve Regulations with the exception of fire-killed sawlogs on which dues shall be payable at the rate of \$1.50 less per thousand feet board measure than the rate prescribed by the Regulations.

The purchaser will be allowed until May 1st, 1945, to cut and remove all timber covered by the Conditions of Sale.

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Full particulars may be obtained from the Acting Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, or the Director of Forestry, Edmonton, Alberta.

T. F. BLEPGEN,
Director of Forestry.
Department of Lands and Mines,
Edmonton, Alberta.
November 27th, 1943.

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Corporal J. L. Cousins, of the RCAF at Pearce, spent a two-day leave with his family at Bellevue.

W. L. Carlyle has been elected to the board of directors of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede, R. W. Ward is the new president.

A heading in an Alberta paper, supposed to read "Save All Japs," appeared "Save All Japs." Just a regrettable typographical error.

Details for a new invasion of Europe were decided upon at a conference of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, Russia and China during the week.

"Why is the bustle like a historical romance?"
William: "I'll bite."

"Both are fictitious tales, based on stern reality."

Mr. Smith had been lecturing on prohibition in a neighboring town.

"How did you get on, dear?" asked his wife. "Did you carry your audience with you?"

"No," he replied, "but I could easily have done so. It was small enough."

An old gentleman of 84, having taken to the altar a young damsel of about 16, the clergyman said: "The font is at the other end of the church."

"What do I want with the font?" the old fellow asked.

"Oh, I beg your pardon," responded the cleric. "I thought you brought this child to be christened."

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Teacher: "Well?"
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Start an old-fashioned rag bag in your house today. All kinds of old, worn-out, too small and otherwise useless garments are badly needed by war industries—everything from cotton underwear to old shirts and ties—from Grandpa's red flannels to Grandson's seatless corduroy pants.

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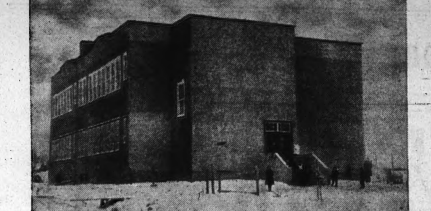
(By J. F. De Wet, Secretary, Manitoba Chamber of Mines)
An interesting story of the great Flin Flon Mine.
(Continued from Last Week)

To understand the difficulties of processing the ore to recover the seven metals contained therein, one should first have a knowledge of the composition of the Flin Flon ore. The metals, in general, are not contained in pure form, but appear as compounds intimately mixed and finely divided in the same rock. The copper occurs as a combination of copper, iron and sulphur, a sulphide known to the miner as chalcopryite. The zinc also appears as a sulphide with the name sphalerite. Another mineral in the ore is the sulphide pyrite, a combination of iron and sulphur. The other metals in the ore such as gold, silver, cadmium, selenium and tellurium are in smaller quantities as compounds, although some of the gold occurs in a pure state but in extremely fine particles in close combination with other minerals. The cadmium is most intimately associated with the zinc sulphide, while the selenium and tellurium in combination with gold and silver associate mostly with the copper sulphide.

6,000 Tons Of Ore Raised Every Day
Although the mine and metallurgical plants were originally designed to produce and treat 3,000 tons of ore per day, the tonnage increased. It can be maintained only if sufficient labor is available.

After the ore is hoisted to the surface it is ground to a fine powder. To get an idea of how fine the Flin Flon ore is ground, take a piece of woven silk one square inch in size, and with the finest needle you can procure poke 325 separate and distinct holes in it. The greater portion of the Flin Flon ore is ground fine enough to pass through those tiny holes. Water is added during grinding.

Frothy Bubbles Float Minerals
The next step is selective flotation. In this process a froth like soap bubbles is created by adding oils to the water carrying the finely ground ore and mechanically agitating it while air is being blown in. By the use of different chemicals added to this mixture, the copper sulphide mineral particles will attach themselves to the bubbles to be floated off as a copper concentrate and by changing the chemicals added, the zinc sulphide particles can be floated off as a zinc concentrate. This ability to select by a change of chemicals the material to be floated explains the phrase selective flotation. It not



This is Birchview School at Flin Flon. Very modern.

only segregates the minerals from one another for further treatment but eliminates a large part of the material of no commercial value from the ore, known as gangue.

How Copper Is Refined

The copper concentrates go to roasters which burn off some of the excess sulphur, and next to the reverberatory furnaces where they are

melted; the lighter waste material called "slag" is skimmed off. The remaining portion called "matte" containing the copper is then processed through converters where air is blown through the matte and the remaining sulphur and iron removed. The material left in the converters is blister copper which is cast into bars and sent to a refinery in Montreal. The refinery separates the contained copper, gold, silver, selenium and tellurium. The final products being pure metals now ready to take their places in the Allied Nations munitions factories.

Method Of Refining Zinc

The zinc concentrates go first to roasters where the excess sulphur is burned off and the zinc changed to a soluble form. This product is next passed into tanks where the zinc is dissolved by acid treatment. The solution is purified in the purification section of the plant, and then for the purpose of solution the zinc is plated on a metal cathode sheet by passing an electric current through the solution. The zinc next is stripped from the cathode sheet and melted in a furnace, and cast into slabs to be shipped to the war factories. This zinc is almost pure, much of it running 99.99% purity. This purity is essential when the zinc is to be alloyed with certain other metals for the purpose of making die castings of aeroplane parts and other war equipment, which require little or no machining. Its purity thus saves many hours of effort.

There Is No Wartime Profiteering In Metals
The prices paid for strategic metals used for war purposes, and for certain civilian uses during war, are fixed by the interested governments. Consequently there can be no profiteering on the part of those who produce them. Compared to the last war when the price of copper went as high as 35 cents per pound, the present agreed upon price is less than one-third, so that the mining companies can say with justice that they have contributed their share to the war effort.

During 1942 Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co., Limited, employed an average of 2,000 persons. This gives the reader an idea of the size of the operation.

Well Paid Men—Steady Work

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Annuitants And Retirement Plans
The Company instituted the annuity plan in 1940 as part of a "Welfare Plan" to provide against the following contingencies: Insecurity in old age, death, and loss of pay through non-occupational sickness and accidents. The first contingency is covered by the old age retirement annuity plan, to which the Company contributes one half of the cost; the second by a group life insurance plan, the cost of which the Company pays in full; and the third by group sickness and non-occupational accident insurance, to which Company and employee pay in equal amounts. Accidents that occur while at work are covered by the Workmen's Compensation Boards of Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

(To Be Continued)

The Hindus, not the Arabs, are said to be the authors of the Arabic system of arithmetical notation.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

On direct orders from Prime Minister Churchill, Britain's street lighting systems, run down from lack of use because of the blackout, are being overhauled in preparation for the first night of victory.

It is stated that 10,000 Norwegians have escaped to Britain since their country was occupied by the Germans. Seventy-five per cent of the Norwegian air force consists of escapes.

Heat was not turned on at Buckingham Palace until Nov. 1, ten days after the date set for the rest of Great Britain.

Moscow has opened a new subway, a four-mile line, running under the Moscow river and linking the centre of the city with the eastern industrial section.

In the 12 months to Aug. 31, nearly 8,000 men and 1,400 women were prosecuted in Britain for being absent or being persistently late for work without reasonable excuse.

During the present war, 13,885 churches and other ecclesiastical buildings in Britain have been destroyed or damaged.

Germany now has nearly 2,000 day and night fighter planes manned to protect her centres of production. R.A.F. Squadron Leader John Strachey said in a BBC war commentary.

The British Ministry of Supply has gone into the rubberpicking business. Helpers have collected and reconditioned more than 2,000,000 worn garments from the army, air force and women's services.

Oliver Lyttleton, British Minister of Production, said that Britain is studying equipment and transport needed "to bring the maximum impact to bear on the Japanese."

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 5

THE SIN OF COVETOUSNESS

Golden text: Thou shalt not covet anything that is thy neighbor's. Exodus 20:17.
Lesson: Exodus 20:17; Luke 12:15-21.
Devotional Reading: Luke 12:18-27.

Explanations and Comments.
The Law Against Covetousness, Exodus 20:17. There is sin in the desire of something that belongs to another. The Ten Commandments for the control of thoughts and desires. Keep thy heart with all diligence, for out of it are the issues of life. Proverbs 4:23.

The commandment specifies objects which in those early days a man might covet—his neighbor's house, wife, man-servant, maid-servant, ox, ass, anything that was his neighbor's. "To wish for a house in which to live, to desire a wife to grace it, or the agents necessary to manage it, or marketable values to add to them: these are helpful spurs to industry, to the betterment of life, none—not even the possessors. Desire passes into evil when it becomes envious of what others hold; when it would—were the power possessed—gist itself to self-gratification at another's cost." (Alban Peck).

Jesus' Warning Against Covetousness, Luke 12:15-16. "Teacher, bid my brother divide the inheritance with me," a man in the crowd that followed Jesus one day cried out, interrupting Jesus' talk. "Man," sternly Jesus asked, "who made me a judge or a divider over you?" thus refusing to take upon himself the duties of either the individual or the courts. The man's interruption showed that he was too much concerned with possessions, and Jesus made use of the incident to warn his hearers against covetousness. "Covetousness" comes from a Greek word which means "grasping at more." It has been defined as the fatal temper of never being content with what one has, but always seeking a little more, according to the saying that "Enough is just a little more than what one has."

"Take heed, and keep yourselves from all covetousness," said Jesus: "for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth." The true life, the spiritual life, does not depend upon riches.

ALL ON SAME BASIS
Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth was unable to make a purchase recently because she had forgotten to take along her ration book. Many a woman of lesser degree will know exactly how she felt. Incidentally it proves that this war has placed Royalty on the same basis as the most humble citizen. We doubt if such a democratic spirit can be displayed in any other country but Britain.

SURPRISED OFFICIALS
Bob Rollins, an 18-year-old youth of Minota, Man., surprised recruiting officials at the Fort Osborne barracks reception depot in Winnipeg when applying for enlistment in the army. Bob, six foot, 10-inches tall and tipping the scales at 216 pounds, was so tall he had to bend his knees when taking his X-ray test.

The grandest of all old Christmas traditions is Christmas Seals. Every Christmas Seal you buy helps to save lives. Use your Seals on every Christmas card and letter you send this year.

The Germans' slowness in their retreats from some of the towns in Italy may be due to the heavy loads of loot they are carrying.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



FIVE SKIES FILLED WITH FULL MOONS WOULD JUST ABOUT EQUAL THE LIGHTING POWER OF THE SUN.
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QUOTING ODDS
"ALL WOMEN LIKE TO BE CALLED CATS. BLOND WOMEN LIKE TO BE CALLED CATS."
ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"I wouldn't mind gettin' up so early, but you never think of anything to do that's fun!"

Courage Recognized

REG'LAR FELLERS—Phony Business

Chinese Steward Receives British Empire Medal From The King

A small, dark-haired Chinese stepped on the dais at the recent Buckingham Palace investiture and the King planned the British Empire Medal on his coat. Britain's recognition of the courage of Poon Lim, 26-year-old second steward, who survived 133 days on a raft in the Atlantic after his ship was torpedoed. Lim, who speaks little English, gave a monosyllabic account of his ordeal to the King, who leaned forward to catch his words. Lim appeared entirely recovered. 2644



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THE motor quit with terrifying abruptness, and the only sound left was the whistling of the wind through the struts of the plane. But Peggy was too good a pilot to lose her head. She tightened her safety belt and looked below. The vast sweep of shimmering desert was rushing toward her with surprising swiftness. She banked the plane and hoped she'd get over the ridge of white rocks.

The sand was soft. The plane nosed. The tail lifted, then settled back with a splintering crash. For a moment everything went black. Then she opened her eyes, wide blue eyes lit with terror, for smoke was curling up from the nose of the plane. As she fumbled at her safety belt a shaft of fire shot upward. Then strong arms were about her, dragging her from the blazing wreck. "Peggy looked at the man towering above her. His face was leathery and brown and covered with several days' growth of beard. His eyes frightened her a little. They were grey, deep-set and red-rimmed.

"Thanks," she said weakly, and sank on the hot sand.

He knelt beside her and held a flask to her lips. It was water—stale, warm. She took a mouthful and spat it out. The man's eyes blazed.

"You idiot!" he said. "All the water between life and death for us—and you waste it!"

Peggy was suddenly angry. No one had ever spoken to her like this. "Do you know who I am?" she demanded.

"It doesn't matter—out here," he said flatly.

"I'm Peggy Lane Henderson. My father is J. P. —"

"I know — J. P. Henderson, millionaire miner. You're the girl that squanders his money on planes, clothes and horses. I'm Jim Mercer" — he bowed mockingly — "two years out of Stanford; jobless prospectors; a damned fool for pulling you out of

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that wreck. My pack horse went over a cliff—and so did all my food and water, except what's in this flask." He pointed to the east. "See that purple ridge of mountains? That's the nearest water. If you feel like walking, we'll be on our way." Peggy stood up, looking into the haggard face. There was a flash of wildness in the sunken eyes. "How long has it been," she asked, "since you've eaten?"

Jim laughed too loudly. "Eat? Let me see—for breakfast I had ham and eggs, hot rolls with lots of butter and great glasses of ice water. For lunch—"

"Shut up!" she blazed. "You're losing your mind!"

"It's a long way to those mountains, sister," he said quietly. He took off his battered hat and clamped it over her yellow curls. "You'll need this." He fashioned a sunshade from dried brush and tied it on his head with a handkerchief. "Now" — he slipped his arm through hers — "let's go."

She pulled away. "Thanks, I'm perfectly all right."

He shrugged and struck out toward the east. Peggy followed. The man was weak. It was easy to keep up with him—at first.

She broke the long silence between them with, "I'm thirsty."

"Sorry," he threw back at her. "You've had your share."

The sun burned through the girl's thin dress. Sand worked into her shoes. Brush ripped the silk hose from her slender legs, leaving stinging welts. The man stumbled on. She realized that he had been doing this day after day. Her anger changed to admiration.

The sun dipped below the sand. Stars came out miles of them, bright, blazing, but the heat continued. At last the man stopped, sank to the sand. "We'd better rest," he panted.

He held out the flask and allowed her to swallow twice. Then he took the water bottle. When he stretched out to sleep he covered the flask with his body, guarding it from her. Peggy suddenly hated Jim Mercer—hated him for his strength and her own weakness.

It was the next night that they came down the water hole. Peggy saw it first. A hoarse cry broke from her cracked lips, and she stumbled forward. Water! She fell on her hands and knees, crawled over the sharp rocks. As her lips touched the water Jim pulled her away, pointing mutely to a crude sign—"POISON WATER."

"I don't care," she said hoarsely. "I'm going to drink!" The next instant she was bending over the pool. He caught her by the hair and pulled her back.

"You brute!" she sobbed. "You great big—"

She got his revolver then—it was easy, for it hung loosely in the holster at his side. She leveled the gun and began backing toward the water. "Don't touch me," she panted. "Don't—I'll kill you!" He laughed and stumbled toward her. She meant to shoot him. She hated him. "Stop!" she choked. "Stop!"

He came on, laughing harshly, took the gun away from her. "You little fool," he rasped. "You—"

She saw the blow coming—a long, sweeping, open-handed blow. It caught her on the left cheek and knocked her to her knees. He slapped her again.

Then Peggy sobbed brokenly, all the fight gone from her. She felt Jim's arm about her shoulders, lifting her from the sand. He put the flask to her dry lips and she drank the last of the water. Then he carried her, staggering on and on, always eastward. Only twice did Peggy open her eyes to the blazing sky above.

They reached the mountains some time the next morning. Here was water, crystal clear! And Jim shot a rabbit, and there was food. And the grass was soft, the shade cool.

When Peggy awoke she saw Jim by the little stream, his broad back toward her. She went over to him. He looked at her, level grey eyes searching her face. "I'm sorry," he

said, "But when you took my gun, well—"

"I had it coming to me—and, oh, Jim, I loved it!"

He found her hands and crushed them against his rough face. Somewhere above in the cool shade, a bird sang.

New Equipment

Will Be Provided To Aid Man Adrift At Sea

Life promises soon to be much more interesting for fliers down on the ocean in rubber boats. They will have equipment designed to attract aid, to go places and to keep themselves alive.

This new equipment is the job of the emergency rescue equipment section, under the Office of Co-ordinator of Research and Development of the United States Navy. It is a new school, set up by the joint chiefs of staff.

One aid is a small mirror. There is a half-inch cross cut in the middle, which is both a window and a sighting device, like the crosshairs of a bomb sight.

The boatman holds the mirror with its back a few inches from one eye and, through the cross, sights a plane. He can see a plane up to 10 miles away on a clear, sunny day.

The purpose is to flash reflected sunlight into the eyes of the distant aviator. The difficulty is not in making a visible flash; the trick is to get the little patch of reflection directly on the plane. The sighting cross makes this feasible.

The navy is experimenting with a sail for a rubber boat. It is red silk, rayon or nylon, and is fluorescent so that it glows with a light of its own in any kind of daylight.

The best new friend of the castaway is a little device by which he can make seawater sweet and drinkable. It is a soft, semi-transparent plastic bag, about half the diameter to a man's riding boot and not as long. The castaway half fills it with seawater. He drops in a compressed chemical compound, as big as a small cake of soap. This he kneads in the water for 20 minutes, by squeezing the bag. In 30 minutes he has a pint of sweet drinking water.

The castaway has another chemical which stains the sea a fluorescent yellow for 20 feet around. He can carry little floating lights.

The rubber boatman also has a canvas vest not much bigger than a brassiere, but stowed lower down. In it is a row of pockets, holding fishing lines and tackle of various types. In one pocket is bait. The bait is dehydrated pork.

PLANES FROM INDIA

R.A.F. planes from India have rendered valuable service in Burma during the past year, during which they flew supplies into Rangoon, evacuated women and children, and dropped food and clothing to refugees struggling through the hills in Northern Assam. One plane, with an Empire and Commonwealth crew, landed on the 600 yard jungle clearing and took away 17 sick and wounded soldiers to India for treatment.

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WINGS PARADE

R.C.A.F.-B.C.A.T.P.

The following members of the Royal Canadian Air Force overseas have received their appointments to commissioned rank: Air Gunner—Sgt. Reginald B. Gussack, Warner, Alta. Navigator "B"—Sgt. Charles A. Walrath, Edgerton, Alta. Pilots—W.O. Bernard, A. Sarge, Finch, Creek, Alta., and F.S. Lloyd, L. H. Hansen, Lethbridge, Alta. Wireless operator—air gunner—W.O. Robert J. Larkins, Barhead, Alta.

The following appointments to commissioned rank have been made to recent graduates at schools in No. 1 Training Command, R.C.A.F.P.: At No. 39 SPTS (R.A.F.), Swift Current, Sask.—Ian A. Macdonald of Courtney, B.C.; Gavin H. Mount of Vancouver, and John E. Palmer of Woodstock, Ont. At No. 35 SPTS (R.A.F.), North Battleford, Sask.—Gordon D. Bowman of Saskatoon.

Three Albertans are included in the recent list of appointments to commissioned rank to R.C.A.F. air crew overseas: F.S. Leonard, A. W. Davers, Calgary, air bomber; F.S. George S. Moreau, Edmonton, navigator "B"; Sgt. Aaron Kishbauch, Hilliard, pilot.

Student Pilots graduating at Clareholm, Alta., represented most of the provinces of the Dominion and two were from the U.S. British Columbia—Sgt. Pilots B. A. Morris, C. J. N. Willis, G. Greenway and F. C. J. Bodsworth, all of Vancouver; K. R. McDonald and L. R. Russell of New Westminster; E. B. Clark, West Grand Forks; H. G. Warberton, Kamloops, B.C.

Alberta—Sgt. Pilots W. F. Campbell, R. A. Clements, and D. H. Sharpe, of Clareholm; J. B. Davis, Lethbridge; R. A. McDonald, Olds, Alta.

Saskatchewan—Sgt. Pilots C. I. Biegler, Regina; H. S. Lauder, Shellbrook; D. A. Stuart, Prince Albert; K. A. Gropp, Canby, S. W. Anderson, Indian Head; H. M. Lapp, Alameda.

Manitoba—Sgt. Pilots G. M. Jones and J. R. Patterson of Winnipeg; W. D. Bates, Dauphin; G. W. Cmolik, McAulay.

Many western airmen, including 16 from Vancouver, B.C., graduated at No. 3 Service Flying Training School, Calgary, Alta., recently. The list follows:

British Columbia—Sgt. Pilots S. J. Allen, B. D. Darling, R. W. Falkins, E. R. Gordon, W. R. M. Hollingshead, H. W. Dugan, W. J. McKinn, D. E. Mathews, W. C. Miller, H. Maclean, I. MacLeod, F. G. Physick, W. W. Reid, C. W. Speed, F. R. Taylor, J. A. H. Whipple and G. J. Zacharias, of Vancouver; G. J. Kepper and S. A. Miles, of Victoria; M. Bartch, Fort Albert; W. C. Chapman, Nelson; C. L. Finch, Penticton; J. J. Gerin, Kelowna; A. Elimovich, Fruitvale; R. S. Purkis, Salmon Arm; R. K. Quinn, Prince George.

Alberta—Sgt. Pilots O. V. Stevenson and R. G. Drummond, of Calgary; G. W. J. Bosworth, Olds; G. B. Coleman, Magrath; M. Dewey, Raymond; D. C. Dendrick, Didsbury; F. C. Finn, Viking; D. W. Hill, Fort MacMurray; J. H. Hendrichs, Brooks; A. G. King, Vermillion; A. D. McCutcheon, Nordegg; S. W. Ross, Banff; A. C. Thompson, Craigmyle; J. W. Thompson, Bowden.

Manitoba—Sgt. Pilots S. F. Conley and A. J. M. Grisdale of Winnipeg, who transferred from the Aeronautical Engineering Branch on March 6, 1943, also graduated with the class.

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 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 - 1/2 cup cornmeal
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 - Few grains cayenne
 - 1 cup All-Bran
- Brown sausage in heavy frying pan, stirring occasionally; pour off and save fat. Bring water to a boil, add salt, pepper, sage and cayenne. Stir in cornmeal gradually; cook until thickened stirring constantly. Add All-Bran and sausage; mix thoroughly. Four into dampened loaf pan; chill until firm. Unmold; cut in half-inch slices and brown in sausage fat on hot griddle. Serve with syrup or apple butter.
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Prisoners Of War

Nazis Have No Use For Christianity, Says Dallas' Paper

The Dallas News quotes First Lt. Maurice M. Hall, chaplain of a prisoners-of-war camp at Huntsville, Tex., as saying that "60 per cent of the prisoners are confirmed Nazis," and "you might as well preach Christianity to a wall as to these Hitlerites."

"The Nazis are treacherous, often trying after midnight in the barracks to lynch their comrades who are not Nazis," he was quoted in an interview. "Unless we evangelize these men they will return to Germany after the war with nothing but contempt for our ideals, more than eager to fight another war."

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Provincial government employees will have a three-day holiday at Christmas.

J. Krywolt, of Bellevue, is among the latest to enlist in the army from this district.

An unconfirmed report of two inches of snow being seen within six miles of Blairmore was in circulation.

FOR SALE—Grocery and Confectionery; stock and fixtures. For particulars apply P. Chardon, Blairmore.

"Granny" Howe celebrated her 76th birthday on Monday, November 29th, and was recipient of many words of congratulation.

Mrs. B. Eddy and Mrs. A. Boutry, of Beaver Mines, have been hospital patients at Pincher Creek during the past week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Swager, of Lundbreck, announce the arrival of a son, John Martin, at a Pincher Creek hospital on November 12th.

Rev. James McKelvey, of Cardston, was guest speaker at Central United church on Sunday evening in the interest of the temperance movement.

An ardent prohibitionist was recently offered a bottle of beer following a lecture. He took it, and probably realized at that time it was a man's privilege.

Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Please items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

The lineup at South Alberta liquor stores on December 1st would have scared Hitler to death.

Forty thousand pheasants were bagged in the Brooks district during the fifth open season which ended Saturday last.

When Mrs. Julia Chase, of Zion, Ill., was 24 years of age, her doctors gave her one year to live. On December 1st she celebrated her 101st birthday.

The December liquor ration in B.C. is one reputed quart of spirits or three dozen pints of beer, or one gallon of Canadian wine or two bottles of imported wine.

Major C. G. Davidson and Flight Lieutenant R. W. Biggar, officer commanding No. 2 RCAF recruiting centre in Calgary, will visit Blairmore this evening, it is announced.

Sir Charles G. D. Roberts, 83, noted Canadian poet and author, died in Toronto on Friday night last. He was married for the second time last month to 33-year-old Joan Montgomery.

Pete wants to know which is right, make money easy or make easy money.

Some men are so mean that they wouldn't hesitate to double-cross themselves.

Mrs. Roy Taylor is nurse in charge at the new hospital ward in the Label building at Pincher Creek.

Among recent enlistments in the army at Calgary were W. A. Landon and D. W. Russell, of Blairmore.

The preliminary meeting on publicity for the Sixth Victory Loan is to be held in Montreal on December the 10th.

The regular monthly meeting of Crows' Nest Chapter, IOOE, will be held in the Anglican hall on Tuesday next, December 7th, at 7.30 p.m.

Taxpayers in Britain, who numbered four million in 1939, now number twelve million.

Dick Large was hobbling along on crutches at Fernie last week, having injured a knee.

A truckload of wheat and oats for Skookumchuk, B. C., passed through Blairmore on Monday.

Twenty-five years ago last night, Joe McDougall, of the Home Bank staff at Fernie, was stricken with flu.

John L. Wright and Mrs. Milligan made the rounds of the Blairmore golf course on Sunday night. John got by with twenty strokes.

A party of seven moose hunters, including C. Sartoris and W. Oliver, left at the week end for the north country.

Miss Mary Pinkham, OBE, has been elected president of the women's section of the Southern Alberta Pioneers and Old-Timers' Association.

Word has been received that Captain Donald Watson, of Pincher Creek, artillery officer, has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery.

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